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REGIONAL AND STATE EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT: JULY 2003

Regional and state unemployment rates were generally little changed in July. All 4 regions, 41 states, and the District of Columbia recorded shifts of 0.3 percentage point or less in their unemployment rates, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor reported today. The national jobless rate edged down to 6.2 percent over the month. Nonfarm payroll employment decreased in 28 states.

Regional Unemployment (Seasonally Adjusted)

The West continued to register the highest unemployment rate in July, 6.5 percent. The Northeast recorded the lowest rate, 5.7 percent, closely followed by the Midwest and South, 5.8 percent each. The largest over-the-year unemployment rate change in any of the regions was a 0.3-percentage point increase in the Midwest. (See table 1.)

Among the nine geographic divisions, the Pacific continued to have the highest unemployment rate, 6.8 percent in July. The West South Central and East North Central divisions posted the next highest rates, 6.5 and 6.3 percent, respectively. The West North Central experienced the lowest unemployment rate, 4.8 percent. The next lowest rates were in New England, 5.2 percent, and the South Atlantic division, 5.4 percent. No geographic division had a substantial unemployment rate change from June. The East North Central and West South Central divisions recorded the largest over-the-year rate changes, both increases of 0.4 percentage point.

State Unemployment (Seasonally Adjusted)

In July, Oregon continued to have the highest unemployment rate, 8.1 percent. The two states with the next highest rates were also in the Pacific division—Alaska and Washington, at 7.9 and 7.5 percent, respectively. Four additional states had rates of 7.0 percent or higher. South Dakota again posted the lowest jobless rate, 3.3 percent, followed by two other West North Central states, North Dakota, 3.6 percent, and Nebraska, 3.9 percent. (See table 3 and chart 1.)

Compared with June, unemployment rates were higher in 25 states, lower in 15 states and the District of Columbia, and unchanged in 10 states. Indiana and Louisiana had the largest over-the-month rate increases (+0.6 percentage point each). The next largest increase was recorded by West Virginia (+0.5 percentage point). No state reported a jobless rate decrease of greater than 0.4 percentage point.

Over the year, unemployment rates increased in 26 states and the District of Columbia, decreased in 19 states, and remained unchanged in 5 states. Louisiana posted the greatest over-the-year rate increase (+1.3 percentage points), closely followed by Michigan and South Carolina (+1.2 points each) and by Oklahoma (+1.0 point). Nine additional states recorded over-the-year jobless rate increases of 0.5 percentage point or more. Utah reported the largest rate decrease from July 2002 (-0.9 percentage point); North Dakota had the next largest decrease (-0.5 point).

Nonfarm Payroll Employment (Seasonally Adjusted)

From June to July, total nonfarm employment decreased in 28 states, increased in 21 states and the District of Columbia, and was unchanged in Delaware. The largest employment decreases occurred in Missouri (-39,600), Oklahoma (-28,600), Michigan (-26,000), and California (-21,800). The largest over-the-month percentage decreases in employment were reported in Oklahoma (-1.9 percent), Missouri (-1.5 percent), North Dakota (-1.2 percent), Connecticut (-0.7 percent), and Kentucky, Michigan, and West Virginia (-0.6 percent each). The largest employment increases occurred in Georgia (+18,700), New York (+14,900), Illinois (+10,900), and Virginia (+10,200). Hawaii and Rhode Island posted the largest over-the-month percentage increases in employment (+0.7 percent each), followed by Georgia (+0.5 percent), and the District of Columbia and Nevada (+0.4 percent each). (See table 5.)

Over the year, employment decreased in 29 states and the District of Columbia and increased in 21 states. The largest employment losses were in Indiana (-60,700), Ohio (-58,300), Michigan (-53,100), Illinois (-47,200), and Massachusetts (-40,800). Indiana recorded the largest percentage decline in employment (-2.1 percent), followed by Connecticut (-1.3 percent), and Massachusetts, Michigan, and South Carolina (-1.2 percent each). The largest over-the-year gains in employment occurred in Florida (+85,400), Georgia (+38,700), New Jersey (+36,800), Maryland (+32,700), and Virginia (+32,500). The largest percentage gains were reported in Hawaii (+2.5 percent), Nevada and Vermont (+1.7 percent each), and New Mexico (+1.6 percent). (See chart 2.)

The Metropolitan Area Employment and Unemployment release for July is scheduled to be issued on August 27. The Regional and State Employment and Unemployment release for August is scheduled to be released on September 19.

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Table 1. Civilian labor force and unemployment by census regions and divisions, seasonally adjusted¹

(Numbers in thousands)

Census region and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	July 2002	May 2003	Jun 2003	July 2003 ^P	July 2002	May 2003	Jun 2003	July 2003 ^P	July 2002	May 2003	Jun 2003	July 2003 ^P
Northeast	27,606.3	27,499.7	27,530.9	27,576.7	1,566.7	1,552.8	1,570.6	1,581.6	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7
New England	7,569.4	7,556.3	7,562.6	7,573.9	371.3	383.4	388.1	391.3	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.2
Middle Atlantic	20,036.9	19,943.3	19,968.3	20,002.8	1,195.4	1,169.3	1,182.4	1,190.3	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.0
South	50,728.7	51,399.9	51,322.3	51,402.7	2,853.4	2,901.0	2,935.5	2,971.3	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.8
South Atlantic	26,702.5	26,923.4	26,874.2	26,958.0	1,430.5	1,380.6	1,420.2	1,448.3	5.4	5.1	5.3	5.4
East South Central	8,299.7	8,363.5	8,381.0	8,387.6	470.6	470.6	488.9	485.7	5.7	5.6	5.8	5.8
West South Central	15,726.5	16,113.0	16,067.1	16,057.1	952.4	1,049.8	1,026.3	1,037.2	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.5
Midwest	34,098.3	34,414.2	34,513.3	34,574.3	1,890.8	1,913.2	1,981.8	2,021.8	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.8
East North Central	23,392.1	23,653.1	23,730.3	23,779.8	1,388.5	1,422.5	1,474.4	1,506.5	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.3
West North Central	10,706.1	10,761.1	10,783.0	10,794.4	502.3	490.7	507.4	515.3	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8
West	32,993.0	33,283.9	33,361.2	33,368.7	2,149.2	2,161.1	2,193.0	2,158.3	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.5
Mountain	9,732.3	9,818.8	9,803.5	9,815.6	562.9	548.0	543.8	555.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.7
Pacific	23,260.7	23,465.1	23,557.7	23,553.1	1,586.3	1,613.0	1,649.2	1,602.5	6.8	6.9	7.0	6.8

¹ These estimates are obtained by summing the state estimates.^P = preliminary.

NOTE: The States (including the District of Columbia) that compose the various census divisions are: New England: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont; Middle Atlantic: New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; South Atlantic: Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia; East South Central:

Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee; West South Central: Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; East North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin; West North Central: Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota; Mountain: Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming; and Pacific: Alaska, California, Hawaii, Oregon, and Washington. All estimates are provisional and will be revised when new benchmark and population information becomes available.

Table 2. Civilian labor force and unemployment by census regions and divisions, not seasonally adjusted¹

(Numbers in thousands)

Census region and division	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P
Northeast	27,878.1	27,839.0	28,104.1	28,065.8	1,549.5	1,572.7	1,620.5	1,631.3	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.8
New England	7,661.5	7,666.9	7,717.2	7,720.1	372.2	397.1	379.5	399.2	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.2
Middle Atlantic	20,216.5	20,172.1	20,386.9	20,345.7	1,177.3	1,175.6	1,241.1	1,232.1	5.8	5.8	6.1	6.1
South	51,357.3	52,020.1	51,401.3	52,072.4	3,117.8	3,227.8	3,016.2	3,143.8	6.1	6.2	5.9	6.0
South Atlantic	26,989.0	27,194.7	27,069.7	27,322.9	1,526.8	1,518.0	1,498.0	1,518.1	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.6
East South Central	8,403.6	8,492.6	8,386.5	8,473.5	511.5	526.7	490.1	507.4	6.1	6.2	5.8	6.0
West South Central	15,964.7	16,332.8	15,945.1	16,276.0	1,079.6	1,183.0	1,028.1	1,118.3	6.8	7.2	6.4	6.9
Midwest	34,678.6	35,084.1	34,674.6	35,160.3	1,982.0	2,076.5	1,964.1	2,098.2	5.7	5.9	5.7	6.0
East North Central	23,765.7	24,111.8	23,805.0	24,200.4	1,458.3	1,543.7	1,465.1	1,583.4	6.1	6.4	6.2	6.5
West North Central	10,912.9	10,972.3	10,869.6	10,959.9	523.7	532.8	499.1	514.7	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.7
West	33,112.3	33,533.1	33,348.9	33,723.8	2,175.1	2,229.5	2,228.8	2,234.3	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6
Mountain	9,819.1	9,906.5	9,840.7	9,923.1	594.6	576.0	579.8	571.1	6.1	5.8	5.9	5.8
Pacific	23,293.2	23,626.5	23,508.3	23,800.7	1,580.5	1,653.5	1,649.0	1,663.2	6.8	7.0	7.0	7.0

¹ These estimates are obtained by summing the state estimates. The composition of the regions and divisions is described in table 1.

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Table 3. Civilian labor force and unemployment by state and selected areas, seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

State and Area	Civilian labor force				Unemployed							
					Number				Percent of labor force			
	July 2002	May 2003	June 2003	July 2003 ^P	July 2002	May 2003	June 2003	July 2003 ^P	July 2002	May 2003	June 2003	July 2003 ^P
Alabama	2,101.3	2,152.2	2,152.7	2,153.3	125.3	123.2	121.9	121.8	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.7
Alaska	322.9	343.1	344.9	345.0	25.9	25.2	27.2	27.1	8.0	7.3	7.9	7.9
Arizona	2,688.4	2,669.7	2,666.4	2,674.2	168.8	158.4	156.6	163.8	6.3	5.9	5.9	6.1
Arkansas	1,288.8	1,301.4	1,303.9	1,303.7	69.2	71.7	72.9	71.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.5
California	17,415.7	17,578.3	17,651.8	17,635.7	1,172.7	1,183.6	1,198.8	1,166.5	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.6
Los Angeles-Long Beach	4,717.6	4,786.3	4,819.7	4,797.4	327.7	323.0	336.1	326.7	6.9	6.7	7.0	6.8
Colorado	2,439.0	2,477.6	2,469.7	2,477.8	139.6	143.2	143.2	141.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.7
Connecticut	1,774.5	1,776.3	1,781.4	1,786.2	77.7	87.1	87.5	92.3	4.4	4.9	4.9	5.2
Delaware	422.4	422.0	419.4	419.4	17.8	15.7	15.9	17.0	4.2	3.7	3.8	4.1
District of Columbia	303.2	306.4	310.1	309.7	19.1	19.7	20.9	20.0	6.3	6.4	6.7	6.5
Florida	8,105.1	8,076.0	8,062.9	8,068.4	446.3	425.2	436.7	430.1	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.3
Georgia	4,298.3	4,376.1	4,387.1	4,386.4	223.5	209.1	213.7	218.4	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.0
Hawaii	581.1	603.2	605.3	609.1	24.0	23.6	24.6	24.6	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.0
Idaho	685.0	692.1	690.2	688.9	39.7	35.7	35.7	38.7	5.8	5.2	5.2	5.6
Illinois	6,366.3	6,383.1	6,404.5	6,431.5	420.1	392.8	407.8	415.2	6.6	6.2	6.4	6.5
Indiana	3,189.5	3,182.4	3,204.2	3,222.9	162.7	157.4	151.5	172.2	5.1	4.9	4.7	5.3
Iowa	1,671.9	1,634.2	1,642.1	1,644.2	69.1	73.4	69.7	74.9	4.1	4.5	4.2	4.6
Kansas	1,418.2	1,469.3	1,474.2	1,477.8	74.6	68.3	73.8	74.5	5.3	4.6	5.0	5.0
Kentucky	1,964.2	1,985.4	1,986.8	1,997.0	108.7	113.5	117.4	121.8	5.5	5.7	5.9	6.1
Louisiana	2,000.8	2,064.7	2,044.7	2,041.2	122.0	130.8	139.0	150.7	6.1	6.3	6.8	7.4
Maine	687.3	692.9	690.8	692.8	30.1	31.2	30.8	34.0	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.9
Maryland	2,900.0	2,937.9	2,923.3	2,937.1	126.1	131.7	126.9	135.3	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.6
Massachusetts	3,494.3	3,451.5	3,448.6	3,450.0	189.7	192.4	194.2	187.3	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.4
Michigan	4,988.4	5,113.5	5,130.4	5,130.3	309.1	346.2	369.9	377.6	6.2	6.8	7.2	7.4
Minnesota	2,923.6	2,919.8	2,926.9	2,937.5	129.4	125.9	131.0	135.5	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.6
Mississippi	1,299.2	1,319.0	1,330.8	1,335.9	87.7	83.7	94.1	96.2	6.8	6.3	7.1	7.2
Missouri	2,967.7	2,982.7	2,986.3	2,978.0	168.3	158.6	169.5	165.7	5.7	5.3	5.7	5.6
Montana	463.2	474.7	477.4	478.0	21.2	20.1	22.2	22.3	4.6	4.2	4.7	4.7
Nebraska	957.9	986.2	983.6	983.5	34.2	38.7	38.5	38.0	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.9
Nevada	1,127.3	1,119.1	1,115.7	1,112.2	61.9	60.9	58.9	59.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.4
New Hampshire	706.5	711.5	714.2	716.9	33.1	27.5	28.1	30.9	4.7	3.9	3.9	4.3
New Jersey	4,366.1	4,422.9	4,415.0	4,442.2	263.0	248.8	254.6	271.0	6.0	5.6	5.8	6.1
New Mexico	880.1	898.1	900.9	902.7	48.9	53.7	53.5	55.4	5.6	6.0	5.9	6.1
New York	9,380.6	9,343.0	9,377.5	9,365.4	577.2	573.3	574.8	571.6	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1
New York City	3,761.5	3,676.3	3,672.2	3,669.0	298.3	297.7	296.6	296.1	7.9	8.1	8.1	8.1
North Carolina	4,166.9	4,183.9	4,147.5	4,185.4	283.1	257.3	275.4	277.9	6.8	6.2	6.6	6.6
North Dakota	344.9	348.2	348.3	350.5	14.2	12.0	11.8	12.6	4.1	3.5	3.4	3.6
Ohio	5,824.5	5,884.9	5,890.2	5,895.9	333.4	360.0	372.2	367.3	5.7	6.1	6.3	6.2
Oklahoma	1,681.1	1,716.2	1,723.9	1,703.4	75.5	96.6	100.0	93.6	4.5	5.6	5.8	5.5
Oregon	1,833.5	1,835.9	1,852.4	1,848.2	135.4	151.3	157.9	150.3	7.4	8.2	8.5	8.1
Pennsylvania	6,290.2	6,177.4	6,175.8	6,195.2	355.2	347.3	353.1	347.8	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6
Rhode Island	557.6	572.1	574.4	573.6	27.5	30.9	33.0	32.2	4.9	5.4	5.7	5.6
South Carolina	1,967.8	2,025.6	2,030.9	2,036.8	113.2	125.7	134.7	143.3	5.8	6.2	6.6	7.0
South Dakota	421.9	420.7	421.7	422.9	12.6	13.7	13.1	14.1	3.0	3.3	3.1	3.3
Tennessee	2,935.0	2,906.8	2,910.7	2,901.5	148.8	150.2	155.5	146.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.0
Texas	10,755.8	11,030.7	10,994.6	11,008.8	685.7	750.7	714.4	721.8	6.4	6.8	6.5	6.6
Utah	1,179.5	1,211.9	1,206.8	1,205.8	71.7	65.0	63.1	63.1	6.1	5.4	5.2	5.2
Vermont	349.2	352.0	353.2	354.6	13.2	14.3	14.5	14.6	3.8	4.1	4.1	4.1
Virginia	3,736.6	3,792.8	3,790.0	3,806.2	150.8	148.7	145.4	151.6	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.0
Washington	3,107.5	3,104.5	3,103.4	3,115.2	228.4	229.3	240.8	234.0	7.3	7.4	7.8	7.5
West Virginia	802.2	802.7	802.8	808.5	50.8	47.4	50.7	54.6	6.3	5.9	6.3	6.8
Wisconsin	3,023.4	3,089.3	3,101.1	3,099.2	163.2	166.0	173.0	174.3	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.6
Wyoming	269.8	275.6	276.4	276.0	11.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.1
Puerto Rico	1,355.6	1,414.4	1,407.6	1,402.4	170.8	171.2	175.8	169.4	12.6	12.1	12.5	12.1

^P = preliminary.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current Population

Survey. All estimates are provisional and will be revised when new benchmark and population information becomes available.

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					Number				Percent of labor force			
	June		July		June		July		June		July	
	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P	2002	2003	2002	2003 ^P
Alabama	2,124.0	2,177.4	2,106.9	2,158.1	139.5	136.4	129.5	125.9	6.6	6.3	6.1	5.8
Alaska	330.3	353.5	335.1	357.7	24.4	26.3	23.3	24.5	7.4	7.4	6.9	6.9
Arizona	2,692.2	2,680.9	2,698.1	2,685.3	178.5	166.0	182.3	177.4	6.6	6.2	6.8	6.6
Arkansas	1,312.6	1,331.9	1,315.4	1,330.0	76.9	80.7	77.5	79.5	5.9	6.1	5.9	6.0
California	17,409.2	17,669.5	17,571.0	17,789.9	1,171.3	1,206.2	1,241.3	1,231.8	6.7	6.8	7.1	6.9
Los Angeles-Long Beach	4,642.8	4,768.1	4,744.3	4,834.0	330.5	338.5	360.6	361.1	7.1	7.1	7.6	7.5
Colorado	2,471.4	2,500.0	2,467.6	2,505.5	147.5	149.4	140.5	141.9	6.0	6.0	5.7	5.7
Connecticut	1,796.2	1,805.7	1,818.1	1,829.5	79.9	93.2	84.1	98.4	4.4	5.2	4.6	5.4
Delaware	424.5	421.3	428.1	425.2	19.0	16.7	18.0	17.2	4.5	4.0	4.2	4.0
District of Columbia	308.3	314.5	313.8	320.7	21.4	22.9	21.3	22.3	7.0	7.3	6.8	6.9
Florida	8,132.6	8,120.5	8,202.4	8,162.0	470.3	463.7	465.5	447.3	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.5
Georgia	4,324.5	4,419.0	4,313.3	4,403.0	245.6	237.2	235.3	230.8	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.2
Hawaii	581.8	605.5	585.8	614.5	26.1	26.5	25.8	26.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3
Idaho	695.2	701.0	696.8	700.4	35.9	32.4	35.8	34.9	5.2	4.6	5.1	5.0
Illinois	6,472.3	6,514.1	6,468.0	6,532.0	440.9	433.4	437.2	431.4	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.6
Indiana	3,209.0	3,238.3	3,236.1	3,272.3	162.8	149.9	167.5	176.6	5.1	4.6	5.2	5.4
Iowa	1,690.2	1,662.3	1,686.3	1,658.0	66.2	69.0	61.5	67.3	3.9	4.2	3.6	4.1
Kansas	1,438.9	1,500.2	1,441.6	1,501.8	75.9	77.4	74.7	74.7	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.0
Kentucky	2,005.0	2,026.1	1,998.5	2,030.9	112.4	120.6	111.1	125.0	5.6	6.0	5.6	6.2
Louisiana	2,049.7	2,090.5	2,039.2	2,077.6	143.1	158.7	127.4	156.9	7.0	7.6	6.2	7.6
Maine	700.6	705.1	707.7	713.1	30.2	31.2	25.7	29.4	4.3	4.4	3.6	4.1
Maryland	2,945.0	2,966.7	2,960.8	2,997.8	136.9	135.5	129.9	139.6	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7
Massachusetts	3,539.5	3,499.3	3,553.9	3,508.2	191.0	199.3	198.6	196.5	5.4	5.7	5.6	5.6
Michigan	5,096.8	5,223.2	5,072.6	5,217.1	330.6	386.6	347.1	416.8	6.5	7.4	6.8	8.0
Minnesota	2,962.0	2,968.8	2,964.7	2,979.5	138.5	140.6	124.6	130.5	4.7	4.7	4.2	4.4
Mississippi	1,310.5	1,344.2	1,311.8	1,348.5	99.4	104.6	88.9	97.6	7.6	7.8	6.8	7.2
Missouri	3,055.9	3,046.7	3,010.9	3,022.4	176.2	176.5	175.2	175.3	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8
Montana	472.0	484.1	475.8	490.2	20.6	21.1	19.2	20.4	4.4	4.4	4.0	4.2
Nebraska	975.3	1,000.1	975.8	1,001.2	38.5	42.4	37.5	41.5	3.9	4.2	3.8	4.1
Nevada	1,132.3	1,123.8	1,141.2	1,126.0	64.9	61.3	62.9	60.5	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.4
New Hampshire	714.6	723.4	720.1	730.5	34.2	28.9	31.8	29.5	4.8	4.0	4.4	4.0
New Jersey	4,418.7	4,472.9	4,436.2	4,510.8	264.4	260.8	285.4	293.3	6.0	5.8	6.4	6.5
New Mexico	889.3	912.5	888.1	911.0	58.5	63.5	52.4	59.1	6.6	7.0	5.9	6.5
New York	9,438.8	9,448.3	9,551.3	9,536.4	555.5	554.0	588.5	582.1	5.9	5.9	6.2	6.1
New York City	3,752.6	3,664.8	3,811.2	3,716.1	284.1	282.2	306.4	301.3	7.6	7.7	8.0	8.1
North Carolina	4,233.2	4,208.2	4,218.2	4,235.4	295.6	285.6	295.4	292.8	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.9
North Dakota	359.2	361.8	355.6	361.2	15.9	13.7	13.4	11.8	4.4	3.8	3.8	3.3
Ohio	5,903.2	5,970.5	5,936.7	6,011.4	354.0	391.8	348.8	383.3	6.0	6.6	5.9	6.4
Oklahoma	1,704.5	1,736.5	1,698.7	1,721.2	75.3	101.3	74.6	93.7	4.4	5.8	4.4	5.4
Oregon	1,852.3	1,871.3	1,855.8	1,870.1	134.6	156.6	132.0	146.5	7.3	8.4	7.1	7.8
Pennsylvania	6,359.0	6,250.8	6,399.3	6,298.6	357.4	360.7	367.2	356.7	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.7
Rhode Island	557.4	576.6	564.9	581.0	25.1	31.5	27.3	32.0	4.5	5.5	4.8	5.5
South Carolina	2,010.2	2,074.6	2,008.6	2,078.1	121.1	141.2	123.6	154.0	6.0	6.8	6.2	7.4
South Dakota	431.3	432.5	434.7	435.8	12.6	13.2	12.1	13.7	2.9	3.1	2.8	3.1
Tennessee	2,964.1	2,944.9	2,969.3	2,935.9	160.1	165.2	160.6	158.9	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.4
Texas	10,897.9	11,173.9	10,891.8	11,147.2	784.3	842.3	748.5	788.2	7.2	7.5	6.9	7.1
Utah	1,191.0	1,222.2	1,197.1	1,222.4	78.4	71.5	76.9	67.1	6.6	5.9	6.4	5.5
Vermont	353.1	356.8	352.6	357.8	11.8	13.1	12.1	13.4	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.7
Virginia	3,793.5	3,852.2	3,809.9	3,879.8	166.1	163.9	158.4	159.3	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.1
Washington	3,119.6	3,126.7	3,160.6	3,168.6	224.2	237.9	226.6	233.9	7.2	7.6	7.2	7.4
West Virginia	817.3	817.7	814.7	821.0	50.8	51.2	50.5	54.8	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.7
Wisconsin	3,084.4	3,165.7	3,091.6	3,167.7	169.9	181.9	164.5	175.4	5.5	5.7	5.3	5.5
Wyoming	275.7	282.1	276.0	282.2	10.3	10.9	9.6	9.8	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.5
Puerto Rico	1,376.7	1,422.2	1,351.8	1,398.1	177.7	181.0	174.0	173.0	12.9	12.7	12.9	12.4

^P = preliminary.

NOTE: Data refer to place of residence. Data for Puerto Rico are derived from a monthly household survey similar to the Current

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